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Dear Steve,

Thank you very much for your letter of July 16, 1991. In the months of July and August, I was away doing a collaborative study in U.S.S.R. Academy of Science, Leningrad and attending the International Biochemistry Congress in Jerusalem. Therefore, I could not respond to your letter earlier.

I think it is a very good idea to hold an International Symposium on Smooth Muscle. I will try to attend this Symposium. If I attend, I like to present our work on the role of actin-binding proteins on the cooperativity of actin-myosin interaction and actin-activated myosin ATPase. I will try to pay part of the expenses for attending this meeting.

Please let me know the date of the meeting at your earliest convenience.

Once again I apologize for the delay in replying to your letter.

Sincerely,

Sam

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